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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending August 19, 2000

There was a decrease in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending August 19 according to the Department of Workforce Development.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$5,325,498
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$196,127,025
Trust fund balance	\$1,595,028,398

A total of 33,382 unemploy-

ment claims were filed during the week. This was down 302 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 28,205 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 4,146 an increase of 628 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported at one motor vehicle-related plant and one printing plant during the week.

Continued UI claims were up to 28,507. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

Unemployment Insurance Trends

